GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

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EFC GRANTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF CLASS ROOMS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have granted funds under Eleventh Finance Commission grants for elementary education to the Uttar Pradesh State for construction of 1000 and more class rooms;

(b) the amount utilised by the State Government till date;

(c) whether the State Government have also sent utilisation certificate in this regard;

(d) whether the Union Government have received any request for releasing the balance money;

(e) if so, whether the Union Government have considered the request of Uttar Pradesh Government; and

(f) if so, by what time the balance amount is likely to be released by the Union Government?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM):

(a) to (f) Government of India had approved upgracfation grant of Rs. 111.33 crore for elementary education in Uttar Pradesh. The State Government has reported utilisation of Rs. 104.03 crore. Government of India has released entire grant of Rs. 111.33 crore to the State.